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Governor Scott Walker

Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection

Ben Brancel, Secretary

DATE: August 31, 2016

TO: Board of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection

FROM: Ben Brancel, Secretary *Ben Brancel*
Daniel Smith, Administrator, Division of Agricultural Development *Daniel Smith*

SUBJECT: Report from the Division of Agricultural Development

TO BE PRESENTED BY: Daniel Smith, Division Administrator

RECOMMENDATION / REQUESTED ACTION: Information only

SUMMARY / BACKGROUND: The Division of Agricultural Development works to grow Wisconsin agriculture by providing programs and services to the state's farmers, agribusinesses, consumers and agricultural organizations.

KEY INFORMATION: The Division Administrator will report on the programs and services provided by the Division through the work of the Wisconsin Farm Center, the Wisconsin Agriculture and Food Center and the Wisconsin International Agribusiness Center. This report will reflect work performed across all sectors of Wisconsin agriculture, from the farm, through processing and distribution to international marketing.

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